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PART IV.
OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 20th Saturday in 1912 (18th May 1912).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	...	16	...	...	2	10	...	...	...	...				
	,, City & Taluk ...	...	...	...	98	2	78	5	66	— 2	88		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Hoskote ...	...	...	1	19	2	69	4	88	— 2	19				
	Dodballapur ...	...	...	...	72	1	05	4	77	— 3	72	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	7·85
	Nelamangala ...	...	12	1	22	6	80	5	39	+ 1	41				
	Kankanhalli ...	1	99	1	45	4	54	5	94	— 1	40	Ragi	13·00	14·00	15·43
	Magadi ...	...	21	1	23	3	06	4	88	— 1	82	Kulthi	14·75	14·75	...
	Channapatna ...	...	48	1	46	3	27	6	12	— 2	85	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·14
	Anekal ...	1	30	1	42	5	50	5	80	— 0	30				
	Devanhalli ...	...	...	1	54	2	28	5	92	— 3	64				
	Closepet ...	...	11	1	51	3	64	6	18	— 2	54				
	District average...	...	42	1	27	3	56	5	55	— 1	99				
KOLAR.	Kolar ...	...	47	...	83	1	36	3	63	— 2	27				
	Bowringpet ...	...	...	...	92	1	68	3	72	— 2	04	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·25	6·25	7·84
	Chintamani ...	...	30	1	12	1	30	3	72	— 2	42				
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	...	85	...	30	4	06	— 3	76				
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	1	46	1	24	4	04	— 2	80	Ragi	12·00	12·00	15·43
	Chikballapur ...	...	...	1	35	...	68	4	54	— 3	86				
	Bagepalli ...	...	...	...	51	...	66	2	65	— 1	99				
	Goribidnur ...	...	...	...	80	1	90	2	90	— 1	00	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
	Malur ...	...	90	1	36	2	12	4	49	— 2	37				
	Srinivaspur ...	...	70	...	92	1	50	3	80	— 2	30				
	Gudibanda ...	...	...	...	88	4	51	3	11	+ 1	40	Kadale	9·50	9·00	8·73
	District average...	...	22	1	00	1	57	3	70	— 2	13				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur ...	...	58	1	18	2	17	3	99	— 1	82				
	Maddagiri ...	...	...	...	94	3	67	2	84	+ 0	83				
	Chiknayakanhalli ...	...	48	1	49	4	20	4	03	+ 0	17				
	Sira ...	...	...	...	97	1	90	3	03	— 1	13	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	7·86
	Gubbi ...	1	01	1	19	4	26	4	18	+ 0	08				
	Tiptur ...	...	48	1	09	4	09	4	00	+ 0	09	Ragi	14·50	14·00	17·40
	Pavagada ...	...	...	...	71	2	05	2	10	— 0	05	Kulthi	15 00	15·00	...
	Kunigal ...	...	13	1	25	1	91	3	88	— 1	97	Kadale	9 50	10·00	8·43
	Koratagere ...	...	...	...	95	2	69	3	34	— 0	65				
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	1	34	3	55	4	08	— 0	53				
	District average ...	...	27	1	11	3	05	3	55	— 0	50				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912: This year	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912: Average of past ten years	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912: Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	...	...	1	75	4	65	7	51	— 2	86
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	65	1	92	4	31	6	05	— 1	74
	Seringapatam ...	...	10	2	29	...	90	6	42	— 5	52
	Hunsur ...	...	63	1	60	6	02	6	30	— 0	28
	Yedatore ...	...	...	1	07	3	12	5	06	— 1	94
	Heggaddevankote ...	1	92	2	02	10	22	8	25	+ 1	97
	Gundlupet ...	1	29	1	41	2	34	6	93	— 4	59
	Nanjangud ...	...	31	1	46	4	27	6	89	— 2	62
	T.-Narsipur ...	...	08	1	07	2	09	5	42	— 3	33
	Malvalli ...	...	...	1	67	2	33	4	93	— 2	60
	Mandya ...	...	36	1	78	1	53	5	67	— 4	14
	Krishnarajpete ...	...	67	2	12	6	09	6	98	— 0	89
	Nagamangala ...	...	...	2	05	2	54	5	47	— 2	93
	District average...	...	46	1	71	3	88	6	30	— 2	42
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	...	...	1	89	3	36	5	93	— 2	57
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	...	20	1	86	3	22	6	13	— 2	91
	Arkalgud ...	...	...	2	17	9	63	6	01	+ 3	62
	Belur ...	...	78	1	31	7	95	6	13	+ 1	82
	Channarayapatna ...	...	45	2	24	3	73	6	12	— 2	39
	Arsikere ...	...	21	2	46	3	06	5	25	— 2	19
	Hole-Narsipur ...	...	...	1	90	4	02	6	71	— 2	69
	Alur ...	...	24	1	77	7	51	6	67	+ 0	84
	District average...	...	24	1	95	5	31	6	12	— 0	81
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	...	...	...	50	4	66	4	43	+ 0	23
	Channagiri ...	...	...	1	00	1	63	3	39	— 1	76
	Honnali ...	...	70	...	96	3	95	3	15	+ 0	80
	Shikarpur ...	...	32	...	81	5	52	3	72	+ 1	80
	Sorab ...	1	71	...	63	5	43	2	64	+ 2	79
	Sagar ...	...	51	...	60	5	04	3	25	+ 1	79
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	1	13	...	56	2	92	3	16	— 0	24
	Tirthahalli ...	1	30	...	62	4	96	3	30	+ 1	66
	Kumsi ...	...	38	...	87	3	88	4	35	— 0	47
	District average...	...	67	...	73	4	22	3	49	+ 0	73
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	...	48	1	73	6	44	6	80	— 0	36
	Kadur ...	...	...	1	23	3	63	3	86	— 0	23
	Tarikere ...	...	26	1	28	3	68	4	04	— 0	36
	Koppa ...	...	...	...	66	6	37	5	17	+ 1	20
	Mudgere ...	...	61	1	39	4	12	6	69	— 2	57
	Yedahalli ...	...	...	...	90	3	05	4	70	— 1	65
	Sringeri ...	...	...	...	72	4	21	3	85	+ 0	36
	District average...	...	19	1	13	4	50	5	02	— 0	52
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	...	...	...	69	4	25	2	79	+ 1	46
	Challakere ...	...	...	...	98	...	85	2	30	— 1	45
	Hiriyur ...	...	41	1	55	2	76	4	13	— 1	37
	Holalkere ...	...	77	...	71	4	28	3	31	+ 0	97
	Davangere ...	...	26	...	72	2	32	2	15	+ 0	17
	Molakalmuru ...	...	10	...	81	1	82	2	33	— 0	51
	Jagalur ...	...	22	1	27	1	94	3	24	— 1	30
	Hosdurga ...	...	48	1	18	4	11	4	14	— 0	03
	Harihar ...	...	10	...	55	4	06	2	75	+ 1	31
	District average...	...	26	...	94	2	93	3	02	— 0	09
		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Provincial average...	...	34	1	23	3	63	4	59	— 0	96

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·82
Ragi	14·00	14·00	16·28
Kulthi	14·50	14·50	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·60
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	8·00	8·54
Ragi	16·00	18·00	17·83
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Kadale	8·50	9·00	8·21
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·91
Ragi	16·00	16·00	18·87
Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·07
Ragi	16·00	15·50	17·78
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·70
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	8·18
Ragi	17·00	17·00	18·74
Kulthi	14·00	15·00	...
Cholum	16·00	16·00	17·97
Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·30

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. | Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. | Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. | Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·41	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·23	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Raiyats are collecting manure and ploughing their fields.

State of standing crops.—Rain is wanting. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being manured and ploughed in parts of all the taluks.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. But for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available in all the taluks, except in parts of the Hoskote Taluk, where want of good drinking water is being felt.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—

Paddy in Chintamani and Sidlaghatta, yield 8 annas; and cholum in the Bagepalli Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy in the Kolar and Goribidnur Taluks and sugar cane in the Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

10. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Rainfall is insufficient throughout the district.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Chappe roga" in Mulbagal, "Foot and mouth disease" in Bagepalli and "Rinderpest" in Malur, cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture is reported to be not sufficient, and water scarcity is felt in many villages throughout the district. People are anxiously expecting rains.